## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Woodward et al.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Applicant wishes to call to the attention of the Examiner the documents cited on the accompanying Form PTO-1449. No concession is made that these documents are prior art, and applicant expressly reserves the right to antedate the documents as may be appropriate. Applicant requests that each of these documents be made of record in the above-identified application.

Included with the PTO-1449 is a copy of a co-pending application, of which we are aware, that may be relevant.

Respectfully Submitted

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